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EXCISE

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E.O. 12356: DECL: OADR
TAGS: PREL, PINS, SNAR, AF, PK
SUBJ: WALI KHAN KOOKI KHEL AND KHYBER AGENCY

REFS: A) ISLAMABAD 11296 B) PESHAWAR 519

1. C - ENTIRE TEXT.

WE KNOW OF AT LEAST SEVEN KIDNAPPINGS THAT OCCURRED IN KHYBER AGENCY IN THE LAST FEW WEEKS. SOME OF WHICH WERE NEVER REPORTED IN THE PRESS. RECENT VICTIMS INCLUDE A CUSTOMS SUPERINTENDANT RETURNING FROM HIS JOB AT TORKHAM AND A CHRISTIAN SUPERVISOR OF AN ADULT EDUCATION SOCIETY IN LANDI KOTAL. KHYBER KIDNAPPINGS ARE A TOPIC OF CONCERN TO WELL-TO-DO PESHAWARIS WHO EXPRESS THEIR WORRIES RATHER FREQUENTLY LATELY.

7. WE EXPECT A TRIBAL JIRGA TO MEET SOON AETER EID AND TO PROCLAIM AN AMICABLE SOLUTION TO ALL OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT AND TRIBAL ELDERS. THIS DOES NOT MEAN WALI KHAN KOOKI KHEL WILL NECESSARILY ABIDE BY THE PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE JIRGA NOR ABSTAIN FROM FUTURE TROUBLE-MAKING IN KHYBER AGENCY.

8. KABUL MINIMIZE CONSIDERED. SSCOEY BT

9. KHYBER

WAL KHUN KOOKI

KHEL

10. BARRA

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